



MONTHLY BIRD CENSUS 17 FEBUARY 2014

PRELIMINARY DRAFT 02/20/2014

CENSUS CONDITIONS: CLOUD COVER 95% PRECIP LIGHT EARLY TIME 08:20 - 11:10 **OPEN WATER ALL** FOG NONE WIND 0-5 **TEMP 42-45 SNOW COVER NONE**

PARTICIPANTS: Amy Schllinger, Clarice Clark, Jerry Broadus and Scott Ramos (ponds)

Carol Shulz and Roger Orness (meadows)

SPECIES

			13. Northern Harrier 1	*3	26. Black-capped Chickadee 22
1.	Canada Goose 12		14. Cooper's Hawk 1	*4	27. Brown Creeper 2
2.	Trumpeter Swan 2	*1	15. Red-shouldered Hawk 1	*5	28. Bewick's Wren 14
3.	American Wigeon 28		16. Red-tailed Hawk 3	*6	29. Pacific Wren 1
4.	Mallard 78		17. Virginia Rail 1 H		30. Marsh Wren 40
5.	Northern Shoveler 13		18. American Coot 4		31. Golden-crowned Kinglet 4
6.	Northern Pintail 33	*2	19. Glaucous-winged Gull 8		32. Ruby-crowned Kinglet 19
7.	Ring-necked Duck 22		20. Anna's Hummingbird 5		33. American Robin 73
8.	Green-winged Teal 3		21. Downy Woodpecker 3		34. Varied Thrush 2
9.	Bufflehead 13		22. Northern Flicker 12		35. European Starling 40
10.	Pied-billed Grebe 2		23. Steller's Jay 2		36. Townsend's Warbler 2
11.	Double-crested Cormorant	4	24. Western Scrub-Jay 1 H		37. Spotted Towhee 9
12.	Great Blue Heron 3		25. American Crow 83		38. Song Sparrow 32
					39. Dark-eyed Junco 16
					40. Red-winged Blackbird 52

NOTES

- *1 Both swans exited the ponds flying South, as observed by the Meadows team from the South paved trail.
- *2 The two flocks of pintails exited the ponds simultaneously and flew off to the south.
- *3 One adult female harrier flushed from metal post SE. to a tree along the S. edge of the main W. meadows.
- *4 One adult was observed by the pond team. Can't read what was noted on the list. Was it perched? Flying?
- *5 The ponds team observed the hawk in a new location in a tree at the SW. corner of the hotel parking lot.
- *6 Both SW. adults on SW. power tower. Both NW. adults in the NW. corner of the NE. forest. SEE MORE NOTES.

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The dark morph male from the NW. red-tail pair perched high in the NW. forest and his mate was seen flying near. Water levels were extremely high and there were no separating barriers visible from the SE. ditch to the N. ditch.

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